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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 6503**  
Yuusaku OHTA et al. : Docket No. 2001\_1828A  
Serial No. 10/017,392 : Group Art Unit 2137  
Filed December 18, 2001 : Examiner Tamara Teslovich  
SECURITY COMMUNICATION : **Mail Stop Amendment**  
PACKET PROCESSING APPARATUS  
AND THE METHOD THEREOF

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
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THE COMMISSIONER IS AUTHORIZED  
TO CHARGE ANY DEFICIENCY IN THE  
FEES FOR THIS PAPER TO DEPOSIT  
ACCOUNT NO. 23-0975

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action dated November 30, 2005, please amend the  
above-identified application as follows.